Mountain Weather Forecast

Lake District National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 05 May 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 06 May 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 04 May 2021 at 10:57

Confidence: High for cold and showery weather for the next few days. Low for detail over the weekend.

Headline for Wednesday 05 May 2021: Cold with wintry showers by afternoon

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 05 May 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Light snow showers	Hail showers	Hail showers	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	10%	20%	30%	30%	20%

Forecast for Wednesday 05 May 2021

Weather: Dry in the morning with some clear or sunny periods. Cloud developing from late morning with a few snow or hail snow developing through the afternoon, occasionally heavy, these easing in the evening. Cold winds at height.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90%

Visibility: Cloud lowering on to the highest summits in heavier showers in the afternoon, otherwise very good visibility with good air clarity. Quickly dropping poor in snow or hail.

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Forecast for Wednesday 05 May 2021

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	29/34 N	26/31 N	22/26 N	17/22 NW	19/27 W	24/32 W	23/31 NW	22/27 NW	19/23 W
600	22/31 N	19/27 N	14/19 NW	15/21 NW	17/25 W	20/29 NW	20/29 NW	17/24 NW	15/21 W
300	7/22 N	6/19 N	5/15 NW	8/18 NW	11/24 NW	13/27 W	11/24 NW	6/17 NW	5/14 W
Valley	10/26 N	8/23 N	7/18 N	8/19 NW	10/22 NW	13/26 W	12/24 NW	8/20 NW	8/18 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	-2/-11	-3/-12	-4/-12	-2/-9	-0/-7	-1/-8	-1/-9	-3/-10	-4/-11
600	-0/-7	-2/-8	-2/-8	1/-5	2/-3	2/-4	1/-5	-0/-6	-2/-8
300	1/-2	0/-3	1/-1	4/1	6/3	6/2	4/1	2/-1	0/-2
Valley	4/0	3/-1	3/0	6/4	8/5	8/4	6/3	4/1	3/0
Freezing Level*	400m	200m	300m	400m	400m	500m	500m	400m	300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Be prepared for winter conditions on the summits.

Forecast for Thursday 06 May 2021

Weather: Mainly dry start. Clouding over through the morning with showery rain spreading from the north, this lasting into the afternoon. Turning drier in the evening. Starting off as snow down to 500 metres, snow line rising to 700 metres or so in the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly gusts to 30 mph on the tops

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 50%

Visibility: Poor in low cloud from late morning with bases down to 500 metres. Rain and snow reducing visibility too.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Zero rising to 8 Celsius
At 800m: Minus 1 rising to plus 1 Celsius
Freezing level: 400 metres at first, rising to 900 metres in the afternoon

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Ground Conditions Supplement
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